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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b> <small>Ready for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)</small>	Attorney Docket No.	195531US2
	First Inventor or Application Identifier	Tatsuma OHKUBO
	Title	INFORMATION TRANSMITTING APPARATUS, INFORMATION SAVING APPARATUS, INFORMATION RECEIVING APPARATUS, METHOD FOR USING THE SAME, AND RECORDING MEDIUM THEREOF

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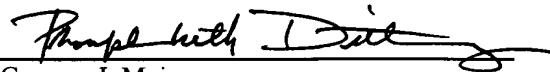
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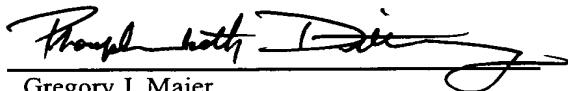
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